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N THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Masahisa TAMURA et al.

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Examiner: Harold Dodds

For:

FILE SYSTEM, CONTROL METHOD, AND PROGRAM

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed February 14, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on May 14, 2006. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to June 14, 2006.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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